## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA AT CHARLESTON

IN RE: ETHICON, INC. PELVIC REPAIR SYSTEM PRODUCTS LIABILITY Master File No. 2:12-MD-02327 MDL No. 2327

LITIGATION

JOSEPH R. GOODWIN U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE

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## DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO EXCLUDE THE TESTIMONY AND OPINIONS OF RUSSELL DUNN, Ph.D., P.E.

COME NOW Defendants Ethicon, Inc. and Johnson & Johnson (collectively, "Ethicon"), and, pursuant to Federal Rules of Evidence 702, 402 and 403, and *Daubert v. Merrill Dow Pharmaceuticals, Inc.*, 509 U.S. 579 (1993), and its progeny, respectfully move the Court for an order excluding the expert opinions and testimony of Plaintiffs' proffered expert, Russell Dunn, Ph.D., P.E. ("Dr. Dunn").

This motion, as explained in more detail in the accompanying Memorandum of Law in Support, is based on the grounds that Dr. Dunn is not qualified to testify concerning the opinions in his report and that Dr. Dunn's opinions are unreliable, will not assist the jury, invade the province of the jury, are not relevant and/or the prejudicial effect of his opinions outweighs any probative value. This motion is supported by the Memorandum of Law in Support, Exhibits A through EE attached hereto, and all other papers on file in this action.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons set forth above and in the accompanying Memorandum of Law in Support, Ethicon respectfully requests that this Court enter an order precluding Dr. Dunn from offering any opinions or testimony at trial.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Christy D. Jones, certify that I have this day electronically filed the foregoing document with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to the CM/ECF participants registered to receive service in this MDL.

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